



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT

In re Application of:

Jill McFadden et al.

Serial No.: 09/097,023

Examiner: M. Hayes

Filing Date: June 12, 1998

Group Art Unit: 3763

For: CATHETER WITH KNIT SECTION

Docket No.: 1001.1566101

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RECEIVED

OCT 02 2003

TECHNOLOGY CENTER R3700

AMENDMENT

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.10: The undersigned hereby certified that this paper or papers, as described herein are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" having an Express Mail mailing label number of: EV 333853870 US, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on this 26th day of September 2003.

By Kathleen L. Boekley
Kathleen L. Boekley

Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed June 27, 2003, with a shortened statutory period set to expire on September 27, 2003. This paper is filed within the set period for response such that no extension of time is necessary.

Please consider the following amendments and/or remarks: